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1017.P051USC1 Attorney Docket No. UTILITY First Named Inventor or Thomas E. Drake, Jr. PATENT APPLICATION Application Identifier Title METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ULTRASONIC TRANSMITTAL LASER TESTING (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. EU 867 634 656 US ADDRESS TO: APPLICATION ELEMENTS Mail Stop: Patent Applications See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  $\boxtimes$ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (if applicable, all necessary) (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Readable Form (CRF) 2. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Specification Sequence Listing on: i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or 54 3 . 🖂 Specification [Total Pages] ii. paper (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive title of the Invention c. Statements verifying identity of above copies. - Cross References to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix Assignment Papers (cover sheet & Documents(s)) - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention 10. 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description Power of Attorney Claim(s) Abstract of the Disclosure English Translation Document (if applicable) 10 4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/ PTO-Form 1449 5 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages] Copies of IDS Citations (including Supplemental Declaration) Preliminary Amendment 13. a. Newly executed (original or copy) 14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) claimed) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in Nonpublication Request under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(b)(i). 16. See 37 CFR §1.63(d)(2) and the prior application, Applicant must attach Form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. 1.33(b)/ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. Other: 7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:: of prior application no: 09/343,920 ☐ Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) Natividad, Philip Sana, Prior application information: Examiner: Group / Art Unit: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Customer Number or Bar Code Label (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) or Correspondence address below Koestner Bertani LLP NAME 4201 Parmer Lane, Suite A-100 **ADDRESS** ZIP CODE 75727 CITY Austin STATE Texas **TELEPHONE** 512-228-3611 FAX 512-692-2529 COUNTRY US Name (Print/Type) Robert A. McLauchlan Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 44.924 August 5, 2003 Date Signature

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